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Re: Final Decision Document for the Final Remedy Landfills 6 and 7 Department of Defense Operable Unit

Fort Sheridan, Illinois

REMEDIAL RESPONSE BR. 2 **FEDERAL FACILITIES** 

> 0970555001/Lake Fort Sheridan (BRAC) Superfund/Technical

Dear Mr. Brawner:

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA or Agency) is in receipt of the Army's Final Decision Document for the Final Remedy Landfills 6 & 7, Department of Defense Operable Unit, Fort Sheridan, Illinois. It was dated August 6, 2008 and was received at the Agency on August 11, 2008. The revised submittal presents the selected final remedy for Landfills 6 and 7 chosen by the Army in accordance with the National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan (NCP) and the Comprehensive Environmental Response. Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), as amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). Submitted along with the final document was a letter from the Army providing responses to previous Agency comments on the Draft Final version of the Decision Document. Illinois EPA has performed a review of the Army's responses to comments and the subject document and has no further comments to provide.

Illinois EPA can now concur with the contents of the Final Decision Document for the Final Remedy Landfills 6 & 7. The Army should now provide the required authorizing signatures and forward the signed page to the Agency. Once that page has been received, I will begin the process for obtaining the Director's signature and final concurrence. That process will take approximately 45 days to complete.

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If you have any questions regarding anything in this correspondence, you may contact me at 217/557-8155 or via electronic mail at <a href="mailto:Brian.Conrath@illinois.gov">Brian.Conrath@illinois.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

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